

Memorial to President McKinley Will Be Dedicated Friday in Niles



THE MCKINLEY MEMORIAL IN NILES, ERECTED LARGELY THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF JOSEPH G. BUTLER, JR., OF YOUNGSTOWN, IN MEMORY OF HIS FRIEND, PRESIDENT WILLIAM MCKINLEY, TO BE DEDICATED WITH APPROPRIATE CEREMONIES FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1917.

Dedication on Friday of the half-million-dollar McKinley memorial in Niles, erected by the National McKinley Birthplace Memorial Association, headed by J. G. Butler, Jr., of Youngstown, will attract many men of national prominence as well as thousands of others from the states of the union.

The speakers' list includes former President William H. Taft, Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, United States Senators Alton C. Parker and Warren G. Harding, Gov. James M. Cox and Joseph Mitchell Chapple, Boston, editor of the National magazine. All of these men have promised to be present, and but for the rush of war preparations President Wilson himself would have attended.

Political clubs such as the Tippecanoe, Cleveland, Blaine, Cincinnati, American, Pittsburgh, Mahoning Valley McKinley Club, Youngstown, and other like organizations have promised to send delegations. The Columbus Glee Club, which sang for McKinley on many occasions, also is expected.

Niles is planning to keep open house for Dedication Day, while the Women's Relief Corps and Sons and Daughters of Veterans will assist in dispensing hospitality.

Arrangements long have been in progress and there is every indication that the ceremonial program will be in keeping with the character of the magnificent marble structure to be formally thrown open to the public on that day. The building, nearly completed, will be 322½ feet long by 196 feet deep and 36 feet high. It will be thirty-six feet longer than the Lincoln memorial proposed for erection in Washington.

Built of the finest Georgia marble and after the plans prepared by one of the country's leading architects, the structure is declared to be one of the finest, if not actually the finest, of its kind in the world. In it will be many tablets and busts of men noted in the fields of business and politics, largely associates of the late president or connected with the industrial upbuilding of the Mahoning valley district in which President McKinley was born and grew to manhood.

A magnificent marble statue of the late president, about twelve feet high and carved by J. Massey Rhind from a solid block of Georgia marble weighing thirty-five tons, will be the artistic feature of the structure. It will be placed in a court of honor at the entrance to the building in an environment especially suited to its character.

The building, while an artistic and monumental pile, will have many utilitarian features. In it will be a large auditorium, library, room for relics of the late president, a G. A. R. room and other educational adjuncts.

The auditorium will have a seating capacity for more than 1,000 persons and be available for all kinds of meetings in keeping with the spirit of the institution. The endowment fund is being collected for the maintenance of the structure.

The memorial building is in a several-acre tract largely given by the town of Niles. The adjoining 2 store rooms and two churches will place an entire block at the disposal of the association for the development of a proposed park. A number of such buildings have already been acquired and razed.

The court of honor in which is the statue of McKinley, in place for some time, is surrounded by a peristyle of Doric columns, especially designed for the reception of the McKinley statue. The colonnade forming the entrance to this court dominates the gives access to the court through a double row of twelve columns.

Leading off this court on either hand are the library and auditorium. The court itself, however, attracts special interest, as it is laid out as an Italian garden, adorned by hedges and vases designed to enhance the effect of the principal statue.

Among those who will be recognized in the building by busts are Ohio's war governor, David Tod; H. C. Frick, Andrew Carnegie, P. C. Knox, Theodore Roosevelt, Elihu Root, M. A. Hanna, Henry W. Oliver, James Ward, C. H. Andrews, W. H. Taft, Justice W. L. Day, B. J. Jones, John R. Thomas and John Hay. James Ward, for instance, was the man who built the first rolling mill in Niles seventy-five years ago.

The memorial is the result of an inspiration that came to Joseph G. Butler, Jr., of Youngstown, one of the country's most widely known iron and steel makers, that something in a substantial way should be done to honor McKinley at the place of his birth. Niles. As a result the association was chartered by congress and has since been at work in building the memorial.

Officers of the National McKinley Birthplace Memorial Association are: President, J. G. Butler, Jr., Youngstown; secretary and assistant treasurer, W. A. Thomas, Youngstown; vice president, John G. Milburn, New York city; treasurer, John G. Schmidt, Cincinnati, and chairman of the executive committee, Myron T. Herrick, Cleveland.

If the weather is favorable the ceremonies will be carried out on the steps of the marble building.

A ritualistic service of the G. A. R., adapted to the occasion, will be used in consecrating the memorial. Assistant Adj. Gen. William S. Matthews of Columbus, Isaac C. Gibbons, senior vice commander, of Akron, C. O. Palmer, junior vice commander, Dayton, and Edmund Burdell, chaplain, Winchester, will take part in the service with Commander William A. Pittenger, while Rev. Dr. C. A. Manchester of Canton, a Civil War veteran and once William McKinley's pastor, will make the address for the G. A. R.

A concert by O. A. Robertson's seventy-five piece band of Cleveland will conclude the program. This band played at the inauguration of McKinley both as governor of Ohio and as president of the United States.

Although the dedication will not take place until afternoon, the ceremonies of the day will open at 10 a. m. with the singing of the oratorio, "The Triumph of Faith," based on the life of McKinley, by soloists and a great chorus gathered from the Mahoning valley.

The dedicatory parade, in which numerous patriotic, fraternal and political marching clubs will take part, is scheduled for noon.

THE APPALLING COST

What the Nations Are Spending to Keep the War Going.

Roughly speaking, the war has thus far cost the allied nations \$58,000,000,000. The great bond bill of Congress will bring the total war expense for the United States up to more than \$19,000,000,000. This includes certain departmental appropriations, but the whole may be considered as applying to war measures. The per capita tax of \$190 upon the population of the country involved would seem to answer the charge that Congress has not been actively engaged in legislation within the last five months. The amount for the United States for the period ending June 30, 1915, exceeds that of any foreign nation since the beginning of the war. Within that period the public debt of Great Britain has jumped from \$3,443,799,000 to \$21,897,666,000, of which amount \$5,800,000,000 has been advanced to her allies and to British dominions. When the war began the public debt of France was \$6,347,540,000, and by last April it had reached \$17,727,013.09. The Russian debt in the January preceding the war stood at \$5,544,000,000, but had risen by last January to about \$13,000,000,000. In the same period of time the national indebtedness of Italy increased from \$2,792,106,000 to \$6,067,600,000. War figures for Japan have not been given out officially, but it may be said that in a very real sense that nation is better off than when the war began. In startling contrast to these enormous figures are the war costs to the Central Empires. Within the three years ended last January the Austrian debt advanced from \$2,559,546,000 to \$8,978,065,000. On September 30, 1916, the public debt of Germany was \$12,158,000,000. Prof. Jaffe has calculated that by the end of July of this year the debt of the German Empire had reached 120,000,000,000 marks, or double the 1916 figures. Yet this, combined with the Austrian debt, is far below the \$58,000,000,000 cost to the allies. It is conceivable that the 40 years of war preparation by Germany have something to do with these costs, while there has also been enforced economy along many lines of expenditure. In any event, America is still the great spender. It may allay apprehensions, however, to recall that since per capita debt imposed on the North by the Civil War was \$342, and that the cost represented 39 per cent of the total wealth. Today a total war expenditure of \$35,000,000,000 would be only 13 per cent of the present wealth.

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Young Officer for Important Position



Maj. C. S. Ridley, who has been appointed by the president as engineer officer in charge of public buildings and grounds in Washington and military aid to the president.

LOAN DRIVE IN U. S. STARTS WITH RUSH

Liberty Bonds Are Bought by Thousands All Over the American Nation.

Tremendous Enthusiasm on the Part of Workers in the Second Campaign.

Washington.—The great Liberty loan drive started throughout the country with a rush. Telegraphic reports to the treasury from every section indicate tremendous enthusiasm on the part of tens of thousands of workers and a fair first day volume of subscriptions toward the \$3,000,000,000 minimum set as the goal of the four weeks' campaign.

Flags were flown, whistles were blown, acres of bill boards blossomed into red, white and blue posters and thousands of workers started the campaign with enthusiasm from New England to California. Everywhere, from postoffices, bank and store windows, railway stations, street cars and scores of other public places, Liberty posters with varied slogans were displayed and workers began the task of finding buyers.

The spectacular features of the first day succeeded everywhere in arousing widespread enthusiasm. To keep alive this enthusiasm and swell its volume till every person who can buy a Liberty bond does buy one is the work to which the volunteer army is now devoting its serious attention.

LONDON AGAIN BOMBED

British Capital Is Shelled by German Air Fleet.

London.—And again London has been bombed by the Germans. In the sixth attack on Britain and in the fifth on London—all within a week—Teutonic planes attempted to spread a path of death and ruin.

The latest official bulletins give no casualties, but it is thought that the death list may be the largest of the seven days, so furious was the air fighting.

THE MARKETS.

Cleveland.—Flour—Minnesota patents \$13.25.
Wheat—No. 2 red \$2.13.
Corn—No. 3 yellow \$2.11½.
Oats—No. 2 white 63¼c.
Hay—No. 1 timothy \$22.50.
Cattle—Best steers \$12.00, calves \$16.25.
Sheep—\$11.00, lambs \$16.00.
Hogs—Yorkers \$19.35, pigs \$17.75.

Toledo.—Wheat—Cash \$2.17.
Corn—Cash \$2.05.
Oats—Cash 61¼c.
Cloverseed—Cash \$13.55.

Chicago.—Corn—Dec. \$1.18½.
Oats—Dec. 58c.
Pork—Oct. \$45.00.
Lard—Oct. \$24.50.
Cattle—Native steers \$17.75.
Hogs—Heavy \$19.50, pigs \$18.20.

Drys Make Gains.
New Haven, Conn.—Some notable gains were made by the no license forces in the little town elections in Connecticut, in the annual battle against the saloon.

Sixty-six towns had the question of licensing saloons on their ballots out of the 160 which held elections' meetings. Ten towns which were wet last year swung into the dry column, while only three went from no license to license. The standing the coming year will be: License 70, no license 58, a net gain of seven.

WHAT IS WISDOM?
The spirit of God is wisdom.
In the life of Christ 'tis seen
To be a spiritual kingdom
Celestial and supreme.

The wisdom of Job and Moses.
Of Daniel and Solomon too;
Their lives and work disclose
The false is not the true.

The wisdom of knowledge is power
'Tis seen in the world today,
In fruit and leaf and flower
In seed and germ and ray.

'Tis seen in the works of man
Each generation proves
That wisdom is since time began
The spirit of God that moves.

Masked in the right direction
When they willingly accept the truth
They're on the way to perfection
Protecting themselves forsooth.

Are wise in the knowledge that saveth.
Are strong without and within.
Prepared to rise are a people wise
Against a foe and win.

—S. J. Bush, Greenford.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them.

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LEGAL NOTICE
The State of Ohio, Mahoning County, ss.
In the Court of Common Pleas,
The Germania Realty Company, Plaintiff,
vs. Joseph B. Toth, et al., Defendants.
Simon Moczy, one of the defendants herein, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 11th day of September, 1917, The Germania Realty Company filed its amended petition in the Common Pleas Court of Mahoning County, Ohio, in case No. 37997, against the above named Plaintiff and said defendants on file Nos. 19571 and 19572 in The Mahoning Valley Liquor Company will be held at 334 E. Federal Street, Youngstown, Ohio, on the 25th day of October, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed dissolution of said corporation and the surrender and abandonment of its corporate authority and franchises, and the transaction of any and all business necessary or incident thereto.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
Youngstown, O., September 20th, 1917.
A meeting of the stockholders of The Mahoning Valley Liquor Company will be held at 334 E. Federal Street, Youngstown, Ohio, on the 25th day of October, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed dissolution of said corporation and the surrender and abandonment of its corporate authority and franchises, and the transaction of any and all business necessary or incident thereto.

FOR SALE
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